

571 Miles of Gravelled Roads In M.D. Mountain View

At the annual meeting of the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49, held in the Lions Hall, Didsbury, on Saturday afternoon, February 19, and despite blocked roads there was a fairly large attendance of ratepayers.

Reeve Charles Fox gave a resume of the year's business and explained that higher taxes were due mainly to increased demand for road work, which now costs considerably more to do than in previous years.

Mr. Fox also said that in 1948, 65 miles of new gravel had been laid; 10 miles of road had been gravelled; 67 miles of 20-foot grading had been completed; 34 miles of regressing had been done, and five miles of new road had been opened up. The municipality now has 571 miles of gravelled roads, 438 miles of 20-foot graded roads and 604 miles of road opened and reasonably passable.

ES. McKay of Cremona moved that the Council authorize the secretary to keep a separate statement of the cost per mile of road grading and graveling, and the cost of repair and upkeep of each large piece of equipment. The motion, however, was defeated.

The meeting passed a motion to the effect that a resolution be submitted to the Department of Municipal Affairs requesting that the Act be amended to increase the maximum supervision of roads by councillors from 30 to 60 days, and the rate of pay be increased from \$5.00 per day to \$7.50 per day.

A recommendation was made to Council that a full-time civil engineer be employed by the municipality to supervise all road work.

Frank Laft spoke briefly on the work done during the past year by the Agricultural Service Board.

H.E. Stacey, Didsbury Hospital Plan, stated that this hospital plan was now operating in the province and he outlined the main benefits to be derived therefrom.

A report submitted to the meeting showed that 92 per cent of current taxes had been collected, and 81 per cent of arrears.

Rosebud Pancake Flour in Demand

Rosebud Pancake Flour, manufactured in Didsbury by the Rosebud Flour Mill, has been selling well past year in all parts of Canada, and even in the United States, and according to the following note received by Rosebud Flour Mill last week from Bill McGee, Newark, N.J., the local product must be satisfactory. Says Mr. McGee:

"Sometime ago while visiting in Canada I purchased a bag of Rosebud Self-Rising Pancake Flour, in Toronto at the Exposition. I would like at this time to buy some more. If possible send a 3 lb. bag C.O.D. and I would like to know about buying in U.S.A."

Mr. Weber, proprietor of Rosebud Flour Mills, Didsbury, says this is only one of many such letters he has received since returning from Eastern Canada last fall. He also had bids from Toronto, Hamilton and Kitchener, Ontario, to build a small mill in those places, but for the present he plans to develop the business in Didsbury.

H. McCullough, Art Reiber New Trustees

Nomination for school trustees on Monday, to fill the three vacancies on the Didsbury School Board, were George Law, Harry McCullough and Art Reiber and as there were only the three vacancies to be filled, the Returning Officer, P.L. Evans, declared them elected by acclamation.

Mr. Law was one of the retiring trustees and he again takes his place on the school board. Mr. McCullough was nominated to take the place of Roy Kendrick, who has retired from public duties on the board after serving more than 12 years, while Mr. Reiber fills the vacancy caused by the retirement of Mr. Thomas Harris who is now the town's representative on the board of the Olds School Division.

VANCOUVER GIRL RECOVERS SPEECH



A miracle occurred for Laverne Tindale 13, of Vancouver, when she got her speech back. She became paralysed and mute as the result of an accident four months ago. Imagine her surprise when she said "Shoes" when shown a pair of ballet slippers.

W. A. Austin is President of Alberta Red Cross Society

Hon. came to Didsbury last Friday, and to one of Didsbury's leading citizens, when W.A. Austin was elected president of the Alberta branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society at the annual meeting of the Provincial Association held in Calgary.

When it is considered that this is the first time a provincial president of the Society has been named in a country point, the honor is more significant and indeed a recognition of the work of Mr. Austin and the town and district of which he has been a part for so many years.

Mr. Austin deserves the position to which he has been elected. For more than 20 years he has been a faithful worker for the Society. He has organized many Red Cross branches in the Province and has been a Provincial director for a number of years. As secretary of the Didsbury branch he has been mainly responsible for excellent organization work which has resulted in the outstanding success of every drive for funds conducted during the past several years, and no doubt he will continue to spark the local organization to even greater results.

At the annual meeting in Calgary, twenty delegates heard reports from the provincial commissioner, Col. D.H. Tomlinson, and various committees of the activities for the past year.

Col. Tomlinson outlined the progress of the new Junior Red Cross Crippled Children's Hospital, which is being constructed at a cost of \$1,111,000. The local delegates every effort is being made to obtain a provincial and Dominion government grant for the hospital.

Albertans had been saved \$321,762 through the free blood transfusion service during 1948. More than 21,320 bottles of blood and plasma, with an estimated value of \$15 per bottle had been collected during the year.

The provincial commissioner also made the figure of \$7,500 as to the amount of relief that had gone to the Drumheller district last spring when the emergency had risen due to drought.

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KNOX UNITED CHURCH W.M.S. MEETING AT MANSE

The regular monthly meeting of the Knox United Church W.M.S. was held at the Manse on Monday evening, February 21, with twelve members present. Mrs. Roy McArthur gave the devotional period and Mrs. J. Bainbridge gave a very interesting talk on the year book "Woe of the Gorges." Three quilts for the Bonnyville hospital were turned in. At the close of the meeting Mrs. Bainbridge served lunch.

Legion Auxiliary Installs Officers

At the last regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Canadian Legion, the following officers were installed for the year 1949:

President, Mrs. G. Thring; first vice president, Mrs. J. Dvorak; second vice president, Mrs. W. Wells; secretary, Mrs. J. Reinhardt; treasurer, Mrs. L. Jenkins.

The following executive members were elected: East, Mrs. S. Wilkins and Mrs. H. Gilfill; West, Mrs. G. Gilfill and Mrs. G. Youngs; Town, Mrs. J. Freeman and Mrs. W. Payne. Two new members, Mrs. H. Hooper and Mrs. K. Waugh, were initiated and the Auxiliary now has a total of 41 members.

As their objective for the year the Ladies' Auxiliary plans to purchase sufficient dishes and cutlery for 200 settings, and is looking forward to a busy year.

The February meeting is being held in conjunction with the Canadian Legion, when the Returned Men of the First World War and their wives are to be guests of the Veterans of the Second World War.

The next regular meeting will therefore be held on the regular meeting date in March.

Mrs. Lyman Severn was hostess at a birthday party for her small son on February 17. Mrs. Tom Sparr and Mrs. J.W. Miller assisted her and the guests were Karen Rose Ballard, Grace and Glenn Eby and Sylvia Miller.

Father and Son Banquet Held at United Church

The Father and Son Banquet in connection with the Canadian Standard Efficiency Training for boys was held in the Knox United Church on Tuesday, February 15. 85 fathers and sons sat down to a sumptuous meal provided by the mothers, with Rev. J.W. Bainbridge presiding.

The program commenced with the singing of O Canada, followed by a sing song led by Don Robertson, and the Explorers' opening ceremony led by Lyle Ford, Mr. E. Cameron, general secretary of the Religious Education Council of Alberta, was the guest speaker and he was introduced by Don Gilfillie.

The Trail Ranger Camp staged a recreation number led by Ken Hansberger and Don Irwin. Mr. J. H. Robertson sang two solos and he brought greetings from the Westcott Boy Scout Troop.

Ken Morris' word of appreciation to the ladies was responded to by Mrs. McArthur, and Mr. C. S. Mortimer replied to Bill Edwards' thanks to the Men's Club.

The closing ceremony was conducted by the Tuxis Square.

Walther League Valentine Party

On Tuesday, February 15, the Walther League of Redeemer Lutheran Church met for their Valentine party. The first part of the evening was devoted to the showing of a number of interesting films from the National Film Board. Amidst the practise of cheers and yells a number of games were then played.

During lunch plans were made for the Leaguers to attend the Southern Alberta Zone of the Walther League Conference, being held at Calgary this week end, February 25 to 27. About 33 items from the Didsbury League will be entered in the District Talent Quest. It is expected that a large group will attend the conference.

The party was enjoyed by 29 members and 22 visitors.

M.D. Councillors, Hospital Board Returned to Office

At the nominations for councillors and hospital representatives in the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 49, held Saturday, February 19, all former councillors and hospital board members were re-elected by acclamation, according to the Returning Officer, Geo. A. Youngs.

For municipal councillor, Charles Fox and Herman Roedler, the retiring councillors, were re-elected by acclamation for a three-year term.

On the Didsbury Municipal Hospital Board, Tom Dench, J.W. Rupp and Harvey Hosgood were re-elected by acclamation; and for the Olds Municipal Hospital Board, George Clarke and J.A. Dodd were also elected by acclamation.

Record Carnival Crowd Expected

Providing the weather man is agreeable it is expected that the Didsbury Memorial Arena will be crowded to capacity for the big skating carnival to be held Friday, February 25. The event is being sponsored by the Didsbury Lions Club and the various committees have now completed arrangements for all the events, including the famous check wagon races, the fancy costumed skaters, and the skating races for all ages. Excellent cash prizes are being given to winners in all events and if reports are correct the ice that evening will be covered with skaters in costume.

The usual hot dogs and coffee will be served in the waiting room of the Arena and everything possible is being done to provide spectators with a full evening's entertainment.

HILLHURST PLAYS DIDSBURY SAT. IN FINAL LEAGUE GAME

The last game of the South Central Intermediate Hockey League schedule will be played at the Didsbury arena Saturday evening, February 26, when Didsbury takes on Hillhurst in what should be a very good exhibition of hockey. These teams are evenly matched having won one game each and tied one in their league games so far this season. If you want to see an exciting battle on ice, come to the arena Saturday and cheer on the local boys.

The Legion rink playing in the provincial Legion curling playoffs lost their second round game to the Innisfail team at the local curling rink on Saturday afternoon, February 19. Following the game both rinks were entertained at the home of Mr. Joe Freeman.

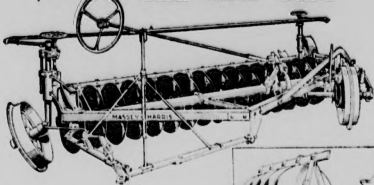
Ken Gillrie Rink Wins Mixed 'Spiel

The Ken Gillrie rink won four straight games in the mixed bonspiel held during the evenings on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of last week to emerge victors in the Crystal Dairy event of the double-knockout competition. In the semi-final the Gillrie foursome defeated McCoy, and C. Reiber defeated Reiber.

After losing its first game in the double-knockout competition, the Ross Youngs rink got on the winning trail to sail through all opposition and take first prize in the Ed. Ford Malheur event. In this competition semi-final games were won by Calhoun, from Esler, and Youngs from Eubank. Youngs defeated Calhoun in the final.

DIDSBURY MARKETS

EGGS	
A Large	36c
A Medium	34c
A Pullet	27c
BS	30c
CS	24c
BUTTERFAT	
Delivery Basis at Crystal Dairy	
Special	70c
No. 1	68c
No. 2	66c
Table	65c
Milk	92c

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FOR SALE — Piece-work Electric Table Lamp, on display at The Ambler Inn. 11p

FOR SALE — Good green Out Bundles, 12c per bundle. Phone 703, Didsbury. 7-31p

MELVIN NOTES

The February meeting of the Melvin W.I. was held on the 15th at the home of Mrs. L. Wollen with an attendance of 13 members and two visitors. Roll call was a house-hold hint, which proved to be very interesting and helpful.

Plans were made for a foot sale to be held in town on March 5th. Good clothing was collected by Mrs. Wollen, the social service convener.

It was found that members were a bit behind in the W.I. monthly objective so next month all will do double duty. Articles for a layette will be collected and also articles for an excessive food parcel. This will bring the Melvin W.I. up to date and in good standing again.

The bit of fun produced many original and amusing Valentine verses. Mrs. Ross Youngs presented the topic on Canadian Industries giving a description of the making of pulp and paper.

A very delicious lunch was then served by the hostess.

The March meeting will be held the second Wednesday of the month at the home of Mrs. L. Chandler. Roll call will be answered by an Irish joke, and each member must wear something green. Mrs. H. Fisher, convener for Household Economics, will present the topic.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Glen Roberts on the birth of a son on February 11th. Happy Valentine, Lois!

Last Wednesday evening another Blizzard struck and roads were again blocked in a short time. Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cross, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. G. Befus, had taken to the highway in Calgary and were forced to stay in town. Ross Youngs, who was curling when the blizzard began, luckily just made it home—some of the curlers didn't.

On Saturday afternoon the snow plow broke its way through some of the main roads and the height of the snow piled on the side roads testified to the enormity of the task.

Mrs. E. Weidner is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Allen Krebs.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. E. Brown is on the sick list and hope she will soon be up and around again.

The Westside W.A. met at the home of Mrs. A.E. Krebs last Wednesday with a good attendance.



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FOR SALE—Enamel Tub Washing Machine, in good condition. Reasonable. Apply to Charles Spreeman, Didsbury. 11p

FOR SALE—Tamarack Posts, 7 feet long. Apply to Art Bird, Bearberry, Alberta. 8-2c

FOR SALE—Evanair Oil Heater, large size, in good shape. Apply to Club Lunch. 11c

CARD OF THANKS

St. Cyril's W.A. wishes to thank all those who supported the foot sale held Saturday, and also Miss Margaret Hanson and Miss Vivian Calhoun for the use of their shop.

IN MEMORIAM

CAMPBELL—In loving memory of our darling Murdoch, who passed away February 21, 1948.

O our darling, how we miss you. How our hearts are filled with pain.

But in heaven we hope to meet you.
Where our blessed Saviour reigns.
Edith, Sharon, Dad and Mum

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Reist of Westward Ho, at present residing in Respeaker, Ontario, wish to announce the engagement of their second daughter, Dorothy Annie, to Mr. Dorne Erwin Pretz, eldest son of Bishop and Mrs. A.L. Pretz of Selkirk, Ontario.

UNITED CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday services at the United Church will be held as follows: Didsbury, 11 a.m.—Church school for all ages, 7:45 p.m. Theme: "The Root of Christian Growth." Serial story for young people. Special hymn singing from the new "Songs of the Gospel," 9:00 p.m.; Y. P. U. weekly meeting.

Westcott, 11 a.m.—Morning worship followed by annual congregational meeting, 3 p.m.; Public worship with story for young people.

Minister: Rev. J.W. Bainbridge, M.A., B.D.

REDEEMER LUTHERAN CHURCH

"The Church of the Lutheran Hour"
Rev. E. B. Fox, Pastor

Divine service on Sunday, February 27, at 11 a.m. with the theme "Christian Grace." Sunday school following the service and the Bible Class will discuss the last topic in the Sewardship Program—"Glorifying God in Abundant Living."

Redeemer Lutheran Church will conduct special mid-week Lenten services during the Lenten season and the first of these services will be held Wednesday, March 2, the topic being "The Man Who Lost an Ear."

FOR SALE—Milk Cow, to freshen soon. Phone 2015, Carstairs. 11c

FOR SALE—Two registered purebred Hereford Bulls, 26 months old and 17 months old. Apply to W.A. Downe, Carleton Place, Alta. 8-31p

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FOR SALE — Registered Yorkshire Boars, 3½ months old. Herd Sire: Hedgmont Laddie 12A. Price \$75 each. Papers \$1 extra. Phone 1308 Carstairs, Alberta. H. J. Sawatzky, 6-3p

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FOR SALE—22x36 L.I.C. Tractor in A-1 shape; Bay grade three, 4-horsebred Laramie, rising 4 years, has been ridden a few times; two dapple grey kids' ponies in foal to thoroughbred stallion, 6 and 7 years old; bay kids' pony, 9 yrs old; chestnut saddle horse, about 1300 lbs., ideal for stock. Apply to Wallace Brower, Hartmann, phone 1907, Didsbury. 7-3c

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Public Notice is hereby given that an election will be held for the offices of councillors of the Town of Didsbury and that the polling will take place on February 28, 1949, from ten o'clock in the forenoon until seven o'clock in the afternoon at the Town Office, and that I will at the Town Office on Monday, the 28th day of February, 1949, at seven o'clock in the afternoon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the election.

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P. L. EVANS,
Returning Officer

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Missed Train At Didsbury In 1904--Stayed In The West

L.S. Curtis, a resident of the Ghost Lake district for many years and now living at Thompson, Manitoba, relates the following incident in one of a series of articles running in the Calgary Albertan, and as it deals with early life of the Didsbury district, we publish the article below.

When you happen to think of it, something occurs in every life that changes its course—for better, or worse. Thinking back over my own life, the turning point appears to have occurred when I missed a train at Didsbury back in August, 1904.

It was not an ordinary passenger train, but the Manufacturers Association Special then touring Western Canada. The party included "My Best Girl from the East" (at that time), and her parents. We were not engaged—but might have been. The train reached Vancouver, B.C., August 7 over the C.P.R. line. The return trip to the East was routed to Calgary, then north to Edmonton (thus passing through my nearest station, Didsbury); switching over to the Canadian Northern there for the balance of the trip.

In those days we had no post offices in the district; none in fact nearer than the railway. Most of

Trap Lands Fortune For Two Prospectors

Two uranium prospectors have told how a bear trap was instrumental in gaining them \$15,000 and the prospects of thousands more.

The pair, "Lucky" Tobey and John Albrecht, discovered pitchblende deposits in the Black Lake area of northern Saskatchewan last summer. The way Tobey and Albrecht tell the story, the discovery was just sheer luck. It seems they were prospecting in the region of Axis Lake for uranium, and they were not impressed with their findings.

For want of somewhere better to go, Albrecht suggested they pick up their bear trap at Black Lake. At that time there had not been even a hint of uranium in this area.

However, after making camp they went along the caribou trails to Albrecht's trap. As they trudged along, Tobey's trigger counter began acting up.

Eagerly they dug into the moss and found iron red rock veined with black pitchblende.

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Later an official of Trans-Canada Resources of Toronto gave them \$25,000 for the concession. In addition, the prospectors have a 10 percent interest in the company which will develop the find. Mining men say this may mean anything from \$250,000 to \$1,000,000 for the pair all because of a bear trap.

Biggest Barn Ever Built

ALASKA (Special)—How many residents of the west remember the building of the world's biggest barn.

This barn was situated on the old Smith ranch, 39 miles southeast of Alaska on the south bank of the Saskatchewan river. The barn itself was 440 feet long, 100 feet in width and 30 feet high. It was built in the year 1915 by a rancher named Smith, an American who settled in Manitoba and moved from there in 1915.

The barn was built to accommodate 1,700 head of horses or cattle, or 5,000 sheep, and was built so that he could feed 300 head of cattle at one time by a single turn of a lever, which he had fixed so that he could work it without leaving the house. Smith cleared 1,000 acres of brush on the river flat for the growing of alfalfa which he fed to his stock. Unfortunately, Smith died some two or three years after the barn was built, and before all arrangements were completed for carrying out his many ideas.

He had his own irrigating which watered the alfalfa, and which in turn filled his huge lofts. He had a pump with a two-foot stream of water at one time, Smith was considered one of the greatest men who ever stepped into this district, and his death at the time was viewed as a calamity.

Shortly after Smith's death his heirs came up from the United States and the barn was torn down. Over one car of hardware alone was taken from the building, as well as some 13 cars of lumber.

—(Exchange)—

the people in the country went to Calgary for their supplies—so we had our mail addressed to "Ghost Lake, P.O. Box 100, Calgary." Somebody always picked it up in Calgary and we got it eventually. Sometimes it was a couple of months late, through being left at Davies' store on the Kneehill creek, and kicking around there until someone else in our district picked it up and delivered it.

On arriving in Vancouver, that day of mine wired me at my postal address in Calgary: "Arrangements made for you to join train at Lussigny 3 a.m. Aug. 10 for trip east." I saw this message lay in Calgary on a couple of days, then was requested to Didsbury 11 later had to pay the charges from Calgary to Didsbury where it remained until a scheduled train came out of our country on business. I happened to pick it up at the station, he handed me the wire to me at 10 p.m. Aug. 14.

Didsbury was 60 miles away, but there was still a chance that I could make it in time. Eleven hours was the most that I could allow for the trip, while an hour's rest and a meal at the half-way point for both man and beast was a necessity. The fastest train, the following of a gun trail across country, from which other trains branched off to different directions, the journey of three days across country, had to be covered in six hours of darkness—no moon that night, no dining in the saddle, and no sleep for man or horse.

I had a fresh saddle horse in the stable; a single-tooter that could keep up that fast, singing trot for hours, and a joy to ride, soon I was off with a feed of oats for the horse, grub for myself, and a saddle-bag containing my best odds, all tied to the saddle. Striking southeast from our ranch I hit the trail going west from the coal mine. We made fairly good time until after I crossed the Kneehill creek, here we got into trouble a couple of times by getting off on branch trails, and had to back-track; thus losing time. Sunnyslope was reached just as it was beginning to get light, and we stopped for a rest and feed.

We left Sunnyslope about 5 a.m. with 25 miles more to cover. The trail was better here, the country more flat, and it was daylight; but I wasn't going to kill the horse to do it. We made good time, and a little before nine (by my watch) we topped the hill overlooking Didsbury a mile away. The train was already at the station, and as I spurred the horse to a run, started to pull out and was nothing but a blob of smoke in the distance by the time I got there. My watch must have been a few minutes slow.

I was disappointed, of course, but I really liked the ranching life, the country and the people. After a day's rest in town, the horse and I were on our way back to the ranch. Now, had I caught that train, not only would I have had an enjoyable trip east with a fine bunch of people and no expense to myself—but as I learned later—would have been offered a white-collared job in the east, with good prospects for advancement. More than possible too, the girl and I would have become engaged and later married.

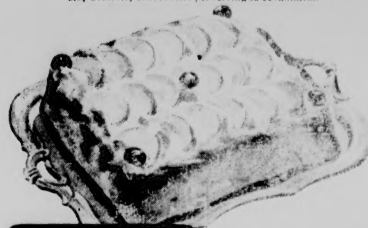
Things turned out differently. I continued to live in the west—still do—but in a different part—married another girl out here and eventually put in 33 years railroading.

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4 teaspoons baking powder
2 cups sifted Purity Flour
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First—Melt butter in 7 or 8 inch square baking dish, add brown sugar and spread the mixture evenly over the bottom of the dish. Pare and core apples and cut each one in sixths by the stem. Set in rows in the butter-sugar mixture. Place 6 cherries in each corner and one in the middle.

Now—Cream shortening, add vanilla. Gradually add sugar and blend well together. Add well-beaten egg. Add Purity Flour, baking powder and salt and sift together 2 or 3 times. Then add cherries with the milk. Pour the batter over the fruit in the baking dish and bake in a moderate oven (325°F) for 45-60 minutes. Invert to serve. Remove from the dish as soon as served. Serve hot or in a cold water-sauce or serve cold with whipped cream.

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ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON WATER AND SEWAGE

(Continued from page 1)
improvement area or not. In case of a fire anywhere in town these hydrants would be brought into use to fight the blaze.

Q. I am a resident of East Didsbury and have neither sewer or water main passing my property. What costs will I be faced with in paying for the waterworks?

A. None except the small cost of about \$100 per year to cover the fire hydrants. This cost will be offset by a reduced premium on your fire protection insurance policy. The \$100 will also purchase greater security for your home in case of fire.

Q. Will the fact that water and sewer mains pass in front of my property make it more valuable if I should sell it?

A. Yes. Your property is enhanced in value even supposing water and sewerage has not been installed in your house. The new owner would have the privilege of installing water and sewerage if desired.

Q. I installed my own sewage disposal field on my property. Will I have to connect up with the town sewer when it is laid?

A. No. Remember the life of a sewage field is on the average about 12 years. After this time it has to be dug up and relaid. You can connect up with the town sewer when you please.

Q. In 1946 the taxpayers voted \$80,000 to pay for the cost of installing water and sewerage in town. Is the \$106,000 in addition to this sum already voted?

A. Definitely No. The by-law authorizing \$80,000 will be rescinded. The total estimated costs for waterworks is \$106,000 and taxpayers will be asked to vote on this sum. Forget the previous vote.

Q. Is the water that will be supplied to the town through the mains hard or soft?

A. The water is soft and ideal for all household purposes.

Q. Will the cost of operating the water and sewerage scheme always be \$3.00 for water and \$2.00 for sewerage?

A. No. These figures depend on how many people hook up with the scheme. The more users there are the cheaper these rates will become.

Q. Will the waterworks and sewerage ever be extended beyond the present proposed area?

A. Yes. The ultimate aim of any progressive town is to make available all its conveniences and benefits to all its residents.

Q. I live in a part of town that is not to receive the service of water and sewerage. Why should I vote for waterworks in town?

A. Under these circumstances you are not being asked to pay for something you are not going to receive, so why should you vote against them. If you have the interest of the town at heart you surely want to see it progress and be modern. This means more people to pay taxes for the upkeep of the town and a possible reduction in

tax rates. You have everything to gain by seeing waterworks installed in town and nothing to lose, so why not vote for them?

Q. Will the installation of water and sewerage in the town make it a more healthy place to live in?

A. Yes. The water will come from a deep well which cannot be polluted by spring floods. Your water supply will be beyond suspicion. There will be no cause to throw waste water around on the ground outside the house. There will be less to attract flies and all the evils they can spread. The privy pit will no longer be needed and so another potential disease-spreading menace can be removed.

AUSTRALIA SHOWS US HOW

Australia has now supplanted the United States as No. 1 promised land for Europe's surplus millions seeking Whaley-Eaton service of Washington. This should shock Canadians who have long believed that ours was the most favored country.

If far-away Australia, with climate and resources certainly no more favorable than ours can get big immigration, then so can Canada. But we are not going to get very far with merely a passive sort of immigration program. We must put some real push into it.

There is an opportunity that may never be repeated for getting millions of the finest people from Europe. Up to the last war, and fearing another, these people are anxious to get a new start in a new land.

But they won't come as long as the authorities listen to the whips and cracks of certain little professional and other groups who see in every trained immigrant a competitor for their jobs or services.

NICE STEADY WORK

Fort William Times Journalist: Fantastic almost. Incredible. Is the story of two white-bearded octogenarians in Paris, France, who were caught just the other day after having been on a civil service payroll for 36 years without doing a day's work for the money.

The mayor of Paris, a brother of the famous General de Gaulle, was carrying out a personal investigation in the huge city hall of the French capital when he came across a door marked "Bureau of Claims payments for the Flood of 1910." He thought this would be a little cubby hole filled with records which might at least provide space for a desk. He opened the door and blinked. Inside sat the two old gentlemen.

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DISTRICT NEWS:-

WEST NOTES

The Rugby W.A. held a whist drive at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hasegood. Eight tables were in play with honors going to Mrs. P. Hasegood and Mr. D. Evans, and consolation to Mrs. G. Evans and Mr. E. Toppin. Mrs. H. Hasegood won the box of chocolates.

Mrs. Roy Walton and baby Linda of Edmonton arrived last Tuesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Lowrie.

H. Hasegood and A.L. Hogg attended the annual meeting of the municipality on Saturday despite blocked roads. Mr. Hasegood took his tractor to Byrt's store where he was met by Mr. Hogg with his car, which had to be hauled to the road by team. From there they went north to the Sundre highway which had not been opened, and before they got to Olds they had to detour several times through fields.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Krebs and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. Ray on Thursday evening.

Adam and the snow plow were a welcome sight in this district on Sunday. We understand that Saturday evening he made a merry trip to open the road to the home of Mr. E. Ross, where Mrs. Ross was ill and needed medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Johnston visited with Miss Ruth Johnston on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Byrt have left the Elkton district to make their home at Crossfield. Our best wishes go to them in their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Befus arrived home on Saturday evening, having been snow bound in town since Wednesday evening last.

We are all pleased to hear that Mrs. McInnes is making such good progress in the Didsbury hospital and glad to hear that she is able to be up in a wheel chair.

Mrs. H. Hasegood and Mrs. J. Hughes were Calgary visitors Monday of last week.

The party that was to have been held in the Rugby hall Saturday, February 12, in honor of the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Luft, and was postponed till the 19th, had to be again postponed on account of the extreme cold and bad roads.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Gillies have returned to their home at Elkton after visiting for the past week with their many friends in Edmonton.

BURNSIDE NOTES

Cold, and more cold. It was 36 below zero Saturday morning and the roads are open for the first time in two weeks. We welcome the mail once more.

The annual meeting of the Lone Pine Hall Board was held last Wednesday. Dennis Jenkins, one of the retiring directors, refused to stand for re-nomination. Sam Elliott, who still had a year to run, resigned and his place was taken by Walter McCulloch. James McCulloch, whose term has expired, was re-nominated and he was declared elected.

The beef ring also held a meeting Wednesday evening and decided to carry on for another year.

Mrs. Penner Sr. of Carstairs is visiting in the district with her sons Pete and Jake.

Last week little Larry Rathburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Rathburn, was bitten under the eye by a dog. He was taken to Calgary for treatment but is back home again and we understand there is no danger of infection.

NOTES FROM EAST

Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson have been in Calgary for the past week visiting their son, Donau. Hope you will soon be well again, Donau.

The Rathburn children have been spending a few days at the home of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elliott and while there the baby hurt his eye and was rushed to the Holy Cross hospital in Calgary. Best wishes go out for his speedy recovery.

Don't forget to come to the Minister Show on Wednesday, February 23, at the Lone Pine hall. Ladies are asked to bring boxes.

Mr. Harder, the Jutland school teacher, visited at the home of his parents over the week end.

February has been a bad month for storms, with two blizzards inside a week causing plenty of work for the snow plows. Thanks go out to Floyd and Roland Ahlgren for opening up the east roads.

The Jutland school children held a Valentine party on Tuesday, with everyone having a good time.

The Burnside school children held their Valentine party on Monday, February 14.

The next W.I. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Huggard. More details will follow, so ladies—watch your Pioneer.

WESTCOTT ITEMS

On Tuesday afternoon last a lovely miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. Otto Folkman for Mrs. Chas. Topping, the former Miss Delores Holmquist. The large gathering of ladies enjoyed a couple of contests and they also had much fun compiling a bride's book. All this took place under a very fitting setting of blue and white streamers and white bells.

The bride then opened her many gifts and thanked each personally. The delightful afternoon came to a close with the serving of a delicious lunch by the hostess and her helpers.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reinhardt had as their guests on Sunday last Mrs. Reinhardt's sister, Mrs. Patchell Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Patchell of Cremona. Mrs. Patchell Sr. left on Monday for her home in B.C.

Douglas and Clara Schneidmiller also enjoyed the Reinhardt hospitality the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Folkman were dinner guests at the Topping home on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Krebs and family and Mrs. Edna Weidner and Mrs. Bill Weidner.

Bernal Reinhardt and Douglas Schneidmiller left on Monday for Windsor, Ontario, where Mr. Reinhardt expects to pick up a new truck and drive it on home.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

Harry Morasch is spending a few days in Calgary at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Danny Morasch.

Joseph Neufeld and Harry Rempel Jr. spent the week end at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Hedegaard were Sunday supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McMann.

Pat Coates was a supper guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Morasch on Sunday evening.

Roads were blocked by Thursday's blizzard but Roland and Floyd Ahlgren had them passable again by Friday. Good going, boys.

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Mr. and Mrs. Len Berscht were Calgary visitors Wednesday last.

Mrs. E. Ranton returned home on Tuesday night after spending the past week visiting with friends and relatives in Edmonton.

NOTE RE CANCELLATION
The picture, "The Triumph of 2-4-D," which is advertised on page 7 of this issue by Harold E. Oke, has been cancelled at the last minute and will not be shown on the date advertised.

DIDSBURY ARENA SCHEDULE

Thursday, February 24 —
4-6—School skating.
8-9—High school hockey.

Friday, February 25 —
Lions' Carnival.

Saturday, February 26 —
10-30-11-30—Pee Wee hockey.
2-4—General skating.
The above if weather permitting;
9-10—Hillhurst Hustlers vs. Didsbury.

Sunday, February 27 —
2-4—General skating.

Monday, February 28 —
4-6—School skating.
7-8—High school practice.
8-10—General skating.

Tuesday, March 1 —
4-6—School skating.
7-10—High school hockey.

Wednesday, March 2 —
Senior Play Off Game.

RED CROSS PRESIDENT

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to the floods.

Needy persons in Great Britain had received 23,850 articles of clothing. It was reported by the women's work committee chairman, Mrs. E. C. Mason.

A report on the new hospital at Yellowknife which had opened last Jan. 6 told of 885 patients being admitted during the year, and 303 out-patients receiving treatment. A total of 58 operations had been performed and 81 babies had been born.

The conference was told of the goal for the 1949 drive for funds to be held in March. The figure of \$90,000 has been set for the province, with \$150,000 for the northern half and the same for the southern half of the province.

Delegates were invited to Red Cross House Friday evening to tour the building and see at first hand what is being done in the Blood Transfusion Service. Following the tour a social hour was spent by the visitors.

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LITTLE ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

—K. Roy McLean, optometrist, will make his next visit at the Rosebud hotel, Didsbury, Monday, February 28, morning only. Consult in Calgary office, 1014 Greyhound Bldg., daily except Monday.

The Evening Group of Knox United Church will meet on Monday, February 28, at the home of Mrs. Tom Morris.

—You will want to hear Jim Mercer with his thrilling message at the Youth For Christ Rally in the Evangelical Church on Thursday, February 24th, at 8 p.m. You will enjoy the special musical features.

At the league hockey game at the local arena on Monday night between Didsbury and Trochu a close game resulted in a win for the visitors, the score being 4-3.

Elmer Reist arrived Sunday from Chilliwack, B.C. to visit his father, who has been quite ill.

—A Valentine Tea, sponsored by the St. A.A. Society, will be held Saturday, February 26, at the home of Mrs. Bill Ross from 3 to 5 p.m. Everyone welcome.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Dawkins (nee Bea Kendrick) at Cornwall Road Nursing Home, Salisbury, England, on February 10, a son, Robert Murray.

Mr. H. Goldsmith of Winnipeg spent the week end in Didsbury at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Topley.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gillard, who have been attending M.V.E.S. for the past term, have returned to their home at Wapato, Wash.

SNOW CLEANER

A chemical thawing powder available from a Cleveland firm is said to eliminate snow shovelling and ice chipping without leaving a messy residue, reports the Financial Post in its What's New column. One pound of powder is claimed to have the thawing power of 10 pounds of salt. It's applied by sprinkling liberally, amount used depending on thickness of ice or snow to be removed. A handful thrown under a rear wheel of a car is said to quickly provide the traction and stop wheel spin. It's equally effective for thawing out gutters, pipes, sewers, railway switches, so the makers state.

Following the blizzard last week the roads are again being opened up by municipal snow plows but in some places traffic is being routed through fields. Milder temperatures have prevailed the last few days and a mild chinook was blowing Tuesday with promise of warmer weather to follow.

DIDSBURY HOSPITAL BIRTHS

Born at the Didsbury hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Win. Morton on February 15, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clipperton on February 17, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Tom Spaur on February 19, a son, Larry Edwin.

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